questions, asking her if they were alive. She said, "Yes, but unconscious." He then said, "My God! S'pose that man would come to his senses! He would as lief say hn Brown did it as not." He asked to be let off from his work, but young Knott would not consent to it on account of heavy work to be done.

heavy work to be done.

John appeared greatly excited and agitated all the afternoon. He was told by young Knott that he would be a prime witness in the case on account of the murderer making his home his headquarters. He replied, saying "that he would not be there to testify against any one." Toward night, when the pocket book and keys were found, John sald that he saw Humphrey go in the woods where the articles were found. Pre-vious to this he feigned ignorance of the murderer's whereabouts. On the morning of the tragedy, on account of the eagerness of Brown's wife to implicate Humphrey Brown, aims Taylor, with the murder, and suspicious actions and the conflicting statements of John Brown, it was decided to place them under arrest. It is said tonight that the two children that were left behind by the Brown family, uncared for, made their way to Garrett Linthleum's, a farm house nearby, and are staying there for the present. Linthicum is only too willing to

et rid of his charges.
It is reported that they told some one there that their mother, father and Brown, the murderer, left the house some time ring the dark, and did not return aylight. Their ages are four and six ears. At this time this rumor cannot be entirmed. Sheets Th. confirmed. Sheriff Thompson and deputies were working at Forest Glen today, seeking traces of the fleeing murderer, but were crable to trace him further than a store there, where he made a purchase.

One Death.

A message was received from Moses Rosenstein, a brother of the murdered man who is in Baltimore, at a late hour tonight saying: "Louis Rosenstein died at 6:20 p.m. Kindly profect property. Expect robbers will attempt to enter there again tonight.' Important developments are expected, and mutterings and threats are heard on all sides against the parties involved. As soon as the message announcing the death of Resenstein was announced the people beame highly excited. The women of the eighborhood are as loud in their denuncia-on of this terrible crime and the perpetrators as the men, and it can hardly be said what may be done in the next twenty-

ON THE LOOKOUT.

Local Police Watching for the Montgomery County Murderer.

police authorities of this city an Baltimore interested themselves in the case as soon as they learned of the horrible crime. It was fully six hours after the murder had been perpetrated when the news reached here. During yesterday the police overhauled a number of suspects, one man falling in the hands of three different officers. Throughout the county the mounted officers made strenuous efforts to discover the murderer. They searched woods and inquired for strange colored men, and while several unknown persons were found, none of them tailied with the description of "Buck" Taylor. Freight trains were closely watched, and frequent this were made to places known as resting places for tramps, but no trace of the fugitive was disclosed.

This morning about 2 o'clock the police. This morning about 2 o'clock the police-

nen on duty near the west end of the Navy Yard tunnel were informed that a colored nan answering the description of Taylor Sad been seen on a train going to Balti-more. The officers had the operator on duty at the tunnel station notify the Balduty at the tunnel station notify the Bal-timore authorities. When the train reached Baltimore the colored man was found se-reted in a freight car. He was placed un-der acrest and taken to the central station, Sheriff Thompson was notified of the ar-rest, and he went to see the prisoner. This afternoon Inspector Boardman had receiv-ed no definite information concerning the mun's identity, and he believes the man unman's identity, and he believes the man unler arrest is not the murderer

Late this afternoon Sheriff Thompson called at police headquarters and saw Incalled at police headquarters and saw Inspector Bourdman. He was just from Baltimore, and he reported that the colored
man arrested in Baltimore is not Taylor.
Sheriff Thompson told a Star reporter he
was confident the murderer will he captured. The sheriff was told that a colored
man answering the description of Taylor
was reported to have boarded an electric
cut on the Great Falls line about 2 o'clock
yesterday afternoon. The man, it is reyesterday afternoon. The man, it is re-ported, left the car some distance up the road and inquired the way to the Chain

So far as the local authorities are con-tended, they have heard nothing of the thereabouts of Taylor since he purchased the purpose of relieving those who will not all whether local or general. In a store at Forest Glen Saturday It was learned this afternoon that there is a colored woman living near Leesburg, Va., in whom he is interested. The statement was made that he had told friends last week that he was going there to get the woman, and if she would not live with him he said he intended to kill her. As many criminals are caught seeking shelter of such friends, the police think it probable that he has gone across the country, and he may cross the river at one of the be may cross the fiver at one of the bridges, or make his way up as far as White's or Edwards' ferries. It was also learned that his grandfather lives in Frederick county, Md., and he may have gone there, as he had stated he intended to pay a visit to the house of his grandfather

SELLING LIQUOR.

Speakensy Cases Tried and Penalties

Sergeant Matthews and Policemen Yetton and Geir of the eighth precinct made a raid on alleged speakeasies in Rupliville Saturday night and made three arrests. The parties arrested gave their names as George Steele, Maggie Conway and William Sullivan. Yesterday they returned to the village and arrested John Conway, husband of the woman of that name. At the three houses the officers found about forty cases of beer and about twenty gallons of whisky and gin. Today the cases were called in Judge Kimball's court. William Sullivan, told the officers that his business would be carried on during the time of his imprisonment, was charged with second of-fense under the liquor law. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was given a senence of one year in the workhouse withour line, and was lined \$500 or \$12 months additional. John Conway and his wife were each charged with a first offense, and each pleaded guilty. It was alleged that between the time the wife was locked up Satuniay night and the time of the husband's arrest Sunday he disposed of sixteen cases of beer. The husband was fined \$800 or six months in the workhouse. His wife was similarly fined and she will serve six months in jail unless her fine is paid. In the case of George Steele a jury trial was

SHERIDAY POINT IMPROVEMENTS. Plans Being Prepared for Barracks and Other Buildings.

Extensive improvements are to be made to the military post at Sheridan Point, Va. this summer. The batteries at that point. ogether with those at Fort Washington on the opposite side of the Potomac river, form the main defenses of the national capital from an attack by water. The Secretary of War has approved a recommendation of the quartermaster general for an illotment of \$40,000 for the construction of suitable military buildings at Sheridan Point, and it is expected that the work will begin immediately. Plans are being prebegin immediately. Plans are being pre-pared for barracks, two sets of officers' quarters an administration building, a hos-pital, a guard house, a bake house and a stable. All the buildings will be construct-ed of wood, as experience has demonstrated that frame buildings stand the shock of the discharge of heavy ordnance much better than buildings made of stone or brick. The barracks will have a frontage of 107 feet. barracks will have a frontage of 107 feet, with two wings, each it feet long. This building is intended for the accommodation of eighty men. The mess room, kitchen and officers' day room will occupy the first floor. The entire second floor will be arranged for dormitories. All the buildings will be constructed under the direction of the post quartermaster with the assistance of civil Engineer Farley. The garrison at Sheridan's Point consists of Battery K of 4th Artillery, in command of Capt.

Onlnion in Falk Case.

B. Walker, 4th Artillery.

Justice Cole, in Equity Court No. 2, tomorrow morning will announce his decision in connection with the motion for a new trial in the case of Maximillian W. Falk, convicted some weeks ago of adultery, the trial eing carried on and a verdict returned after the detendant had fied the jurisdiction of the court.

THE POLICE CHIEFS

Major Sylvester's Part in the National Convention.

BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION

Tribute to the Memory of Colonel Wm. G. Moore.

THEMES OF ADDRESSES

Major Richard Sylvester, superintendent of police, as heretofore stated in The Star, returned Friday night from the annual convention of chiefs of police of the United States, at Chattanooga, held last week.

Owing to pressure work at home, he arrived there a day late, but in season to meet each and all of the members of the union, most of whom he had met when the annua meeting was held in this city several years ago. Chief Hill, the young gentleman who is at the head of the Chattanooga force, the major had known for a long time, and his attentions were most flattering, he and those associated with him being untiring, he said, in their efforts to make his stay pleasant and profitable. Another young man, and Major Sylvester's acquaintance of former years, Leslie of Pittsburg, was elected president of the union for the ensuing year.

As a representative of the board of trade Major Sylvester was authorized to invoke the aid of the chiefs toward securing for this city the convention of charities and corrections for the year 1900, and the body unanimously resolved to use its efforts to that and. Most of the chiefs are members of that organization, and their united action should, and will, no doubt, have great weight toward securing the convention for

The major drafted the resolution, submitted and passed, in respect to the memory of the late Col. Moore, and the occasion afforded him an opportunity, he said, to pay tribute, in a small way, to his late friend and associate. The resolution and remarks of Major Sylvester will be printed at the request of the association in the forthcom-ing annual report.

Bureau of Identification. Major Sylvester advocated the proposition

to have the national bureau of criminal identification established in this city by Congress, his remarks on that subject being, in part, as follows:

"You meet in annual session, you the ones who direct; and, if I have a proper appreciation of your purpose, a first one is o indulge in such exchange of ideas as will redound to better equipment of all. To devise a means whereby crime may be pre-vented and criminals apprehended has for years prompted suggestions by the police and the press. The success of photographs and merits of the measurement as an aid to that end are acknowledged. The benefits arising through their agency are of primary importance to the public. It is for the protection of the public that such de vices are prompted and maintained. De-riving these benefits, it is but reasonable hat the cost of such should be borne by the beneficiaries. In a measure it is, but not generally. The good effect is general; not generally. The good effect is g why should the cost of maintenance so? When a criminal is apprehended and convicted through the assistance of the bureau of identification every individual mem ber of the society is less liable to be mur-dered or robbed. Every village, city, railroad and cenetery (for we do have ghouls) is better off. If true, why should the ex-pense fall to the few and not to the many?

Should Be National.

The bureau of criminal identification, which has its focus upon the growing crop of malefactors, having in its archives the past generation, should be national in its character. It should be accessible to every constable, every sheriff, every police officer in the land, to lend him its possessions for the purpose of relieving the country of those who will not abide by its laws, whathar local or generally and the local or generally to the back of her head, and she also complained that her back was injured. Dr. Barker was

are working in the same field with yourselves. They receive your assistance, and you theirs, which furnishes an additional agency to the end which I am proposing. These being undisputed facts, why this association delay longer to inaugurate a move whereby the bureau might become

a bureau of the general government?
"I have talked with the chief of the secret service and other officials who indorse my suggestion to establish a national bu-leau of identification at the seat of gov-ernment, to be appropriated for as are ther branches of the national service it may be consulted by all officials of good standing who are engaged in your line of work. It would afford me pleasure to lend work. It would afford me pleasure to lend a helping hand to secure legislation looking toward the establishment of such a bureau. "I hope my views will be given consideration, and that they may meet with your indorsement. If they should it will be but necessary that a committee draft such a bill as will meet the situation, when I feel confident that your influence with your respective congressional representatives will make it a most acceptable proposition to

make it a most acceptable proposition in their sight and bring about its early estab-lishment as a fact."

Major Sylvester was appointed a member

of the committee to carry out this proposi-tion, and was also selected by the president of the union to prepare and read a paper at the next annual gathering.

Suggestions by Others.

The whipping post as a means of preventing and punishing crime was a subject presented by Chief Dolan of Wilmington, Del. The possession of burglar's tools was the text of Chief Campbell's resolution, to the 30, has been on the retired dist, died today effect that every jurisdiction should provide at his home, No. 459 H street northwest, in a severe law against it, and the Bertillon his sixtieth year. He was born in Wash system received lengthy consideration.

Mount Lookout was visited by the mem ers, who were taken over a dizzy inclined road to that point, and the battlefield of Chickamauga was also gone over and the important features lectured upon for the benefit of the visitors.

Death of Col. Moore.

The convention, at the suggestion of Major Sylvester's resolutions in reference to the death of Colonel William G. Moore, late superintendent of police of this city, adopted the following: "It pleased Almighty God, in His infi-

nite wisdom, to take from among us Major William G. Moore, for many years superin-tendent of police of the District of Colum-Resolved. That in his death the men

"Resolved, That In his death the members of the National Police Union sustained the loss of an earnest and intelligent co-operator and loving and generous friend, and the fraternity at large an official who by his integrity, courtesy and promptness had builded for himself a name worthy of emulator. But It lation. Be it

"Resolved, That these sentiments be duly recorded and an engrossed copy of the same be forwarded to the family of the

Personal Tribute.

In submitting the resolution Major Sylvester said, in substance:

"Col. Moore was, in many respects, a re markable man. While yet in his youth he entered the service in defense of his country, only to be recalled to Washington by reason of his peculiar fitness to discharge the duties of private secretary to Secretary of War Stanton. So well did he dispose of the various demands made upon him that later on, in recognition of his ability and energy, he was selected to serve in a like capacity for President Andrew Johnson, a name foremost among those which make up the history of our country and in the households of the citizens of the state in which we gather as an association today

"After pursuing various business suits for a number of years, during v time he endeared himself to all with whom he same in contact, and being foremost in the conduct of local military affairs, in response to popular feeling he was placed at the head of the District of Columbia police force. There it fell to his lot to deal with the ignorant and less fortunate in life and with the business man and the statesman, for which he was most happily adapted by reason of early training he had

period which immediately followed.

"Coi. Moore was a man who in his right York and wait orders.

hand carried gentle peace to silence envious tongues. He was a man just, but firm; he was kind to the unfortunate in life and an excellent disciplinarian; he was a man who would rather do one thing thoroughly than many things half way; a man possessing those high traits of character which are worthy of emulation. He was much like a father to me, dying the death of a true Christian gentleman. This coming as it does from one so humble as myself is in-deed but a small tribute to so good a man.'

ARRESTED, BUT NOT HELD

Result of a Fire on Twelfth Street Early This Morning.

Miss Lucy Hutchinson Taken Into Custody, but Released After Investigation by Police.

Miss Lucy Hutchinson, a dressmaker, hirty-seven years old, was arrested this morning by Policeman Emmert of the first precinct and taken to the station on suspicion. Subsequently, upon giving her version of the affair, she was released from ustody. Her arrest was the result of a fire at her house, No. 908 12th street north-west, about 7 o'clock this morning.

The appearance of the house when the policeman arrived there indicated to his mind that the fire had started in three places. This was explained by Miss Hutchinson, who said that following the explosion of a gasoline stove she used a broom in her efforts to extinguish the flames, and in this way caused the ignition of some paper in the pantry and also caused the burning of the frame work of the dumb waiter. An alarm of fire was turned in from box 137 because of an outcry made by Miss Hutchinson. About two months ago, it is admitted, there was a slight fire in the same

When the fire started this morning Miss Hutchinson and two roomers, Mr. Lindsey Murdock and Miss Kate Hart, were in the house. Mr. Murdock occupied a room on the third floor, while Miss Hart was on the fourth. Both were asieep, and Miss Hutchingen had to arouse them Hutchinson had to arouse them.
"Get up," she called to Mr. Murdock. "my

gasoline stove has exploded and the house

s burning."
Then she rushed to the top floor and warned Miss Hart of the danger. Both guests hurried from their rooms and rush-ed to the lower floor. They were greatly excited and were soon at work saving their property. Both Mr. Murdock and Miss Hart had their goods packed ready to move today, and Miss Hutchinson had also made

Members of the fire department were on hand soon after the alarm was turned in, and the flames were quickly extinguished.

arrangements to move her household effects to storage rooms.

Held for Further Investigation. Policeman Emmert made a hasty examination of the premises and concluded he would hold Miss Hutchinson until he could make a further investigation of the affair. Later in the day Sergt. Moore visited the house and assisted in the investigation. Remnants of the gasoline stove were found in the kitchen, where the fire occurred, while in the pantry there was a pile of burned paper, matting and carpets that had been thrown away. The gasoline stove was in the south end of the kitchen, near the steps leading to the first floor, and here the woodwork was charred. At the north end of the big kitchen the flames had found their way to the dumb-waiter shaft and had reached the first floor in this way. The floor between the place where the stove had been and shaft for the dumb waiter was not burned. Damage to the amount of about \$50 was caused the house, which was the extent of the loss.

Miss Hutchinson's work room was in the rear on the first floor. In this small room she had a sewing machine and other materials for carrying on her dress-making business. Her bed room and parlor were cemfortably furnished, a handsome apright piano being in the latter room. She is a native of Virginia, and is well connected. She has relatives in this city, two married sisters living in Georgetown. When she reached the police station she was very nervous, and was suffering considerably summoned to attend her. He said that the injury to her head was the result of considerable violence, and could hardly have been received from a mere fall.

· Miss Hutchinson's Statement.

In conversation with a Star reporter Miss Hutchinson said she received this injury when the stove exploded. The force of the concussion was so great, she stated that she was thrown to the floor and was rendered unconscious. She remained in this condition but a few seconds, she believed, for she was not burned. When she got up she rushed upstairs to warn women of the fire, and then had an alarm sounded. The fire, she thought, was caused by a leaky stove. When she had filled the cups with the fluid and applied the match, the flames almost enveloped her. The efforts to extinguish the blaze followed, as

Miss Hutchinson said she had her property insured in the Home Insurance Com-pany for \$1,000. She said she was living on 13th street at the time of the Lansburgh fire, and lost considerable property. After that she insured her effects. She could see no reason for her arrest, she stated, as sh ould not possibly have prevented the fire Lieut. Amiss had her put in one of the witness rooms in charge of the matron. Miss Hutchinson was still at the station at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

RETIRED POLICEMAN DEAD.

D. C. Lamb, Life-Long Resident of Washington, Aged Sixty.

Policeman D. C. Lamb, who, since April ington June 12, 1839, and had lived here all his life. He was appointed a policeman June 7, 1878, and for many years previous to his retirement was stationed at the Pennsylvania station. He leaves a widow. The funeral will probably take place Wed nesday.

Judge Cox Again on Duty. Justice Cox of the Supreme Court of the

District of Columbia, who was confined to his residence for ten days past, by reason of a cold, was sufficiently recovered this morning to visit the city hall and preside in Equity Court No. 1.

Held for a Hearing.

Benjamin Berkley, Charles W. Chamberlain and Joseph Grant are locked up for a future hearing on the charge of robbing Henry R. O'Malley, a discharged soldier of the United States regular army, of \$88. They were arrested by Detectives Helan, Lacy and Herndon. As heretofore stated in The Star, O'Malley, a few evenings ago, while under the influence of liquor, met three men to him unknown, who are said o have knocked him down and robbed him of the sum stated.

Furnished Residence Sold.

Ben B. Bradford, real estate broker, has old for D. R. Jackson to Lee Hutchins the residence of the former, 1612 20th street northwest, for \$30,000. The house is com pletely furnished and the furniture is included in the sale. In part consideration for the above Mr. Hutchins has transferred Mr. Jackson a vacant lot fronting on the southwest side of Iowa circle and containing 1,700 square feet. This lot is triangular in shape, having the widest front-age, 75 feet, on Iowa circle. The price paid

Naval Orders.

Commander A. B. H. Lillie will be detached from command of the Vicksburg when that vessel is placed out of commission and will go home on waiting orders. Lieut, C. T. Eaton, from the hydrographic ffice to the torpedo station. Lieut. T. T. Magruder, from the Nash-

ville and wait orders.

Lieut. S. S. Robinson, from the Buffalo and wait orders. Lieut. J. D. Blish, from the Vicksburg to had with all classes during the war and the period which immediately followed.

Lieut. J. D. Bish, from the vicksburg to the New York.

Lieut. E. E. Capehart, from the New

STRIKE AT BUFFALO

Complete Tie-Up of All the Elevators There Today.

SERIOUS TURN TO SITUATION

Grain Shovelers Refuse to Work With Non-Union Men.

OTHERS QUIT IN SYMPATHY

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 15.-This afternoon 443 monthly men, the operators of the machinery of the grain elevators, struck in every eleveator in the harbor, including several not connected with the Western Elevating Association.

Every elevator is completely tied up. The grain shovelers, whose troubles were believed to have been satisfactorily settled, have refused to go to work in the elevators with the men who have been working and whom the contractors refuse to discharge Kept Away by Police.

About 300 men assembled near the city elevator, where they found between thirty and forty men working. They became very angry, and the police, scenting trouble, re-fused to allow them on the dock. Some of the monthly men threatened to quit unless the men at work were discharged. After a short discussion Superintendent decided to suspend operations and the men were taker rom the elevator. In the meantime the striking shovelers had gone to St. Bridget's Hall, where President McMahon in formed them that the contractor had violated the agreement. He advised the men to keep quiet, remain where they were and await developments. President McMahon then then hurried away to see Bishop Quigley. He returned shortly after noon.

Bishop Doing All He Could.

The bishop, he stated, was doing all in his power to arrange matters. McMahon asserts that every elevator is now or soon will be completely tied up by reason of the monthly men going out. The freight handlers, coal heavers and ore workers are still out. Business is at a standstill at he coal and ore docks, but the railroads have men at work on their docks handling freight. Thirty-five levee negroes from Cincinnate ware put to work on the Central docks today. The "monthly men" from the elevators held a meeting and determined to order out all the men who manipulate the elevator machinery, including the steam shovels. The situation has not been so serious before.

quired to get cards from Contractor Conquired to get cards from Contractor Con-ners before they would be permitted to work, and that, in addition to the objec-tionable shovelers at work, some of the boss scoopers objected to were working, notwithstanding the agreemet reached that they were to be suspended pending an in-vestigation of charges against them. The shovelers marched to their headquarters with their scoops on their shoulders.

Bishop Quigley Appealed To. Bishop Quigley has been appealed to, and

s expected to address the shovelers this afternoon. De'egates from the engineers' union from different ports are here watching the situation. President McMahon of the new union has

New York. He is said to be implicated in a game similar to that used by some men in this city who are now in the District summoned President Keefe of the Interna-tional Longshoremen's Union back from Chicago and his confederates secured a large amount of goods under false pretenses, Harvey D. Gouldier, attorney for the take Carriers, said this afternoon: which they disposed of at auction, leaving their creditors unpaid, and that they also "The disagreement is owing to want of confidence. The best interests of all, in-cluding the citizens of Buffalo, have been repeated these operations in a number cities. When arrested, however, Yarring-ton was without a dollar.

onserved in the agreement reached. I have atisfied myself that the scoopers were told that they could not go to work unless they had cards from Mr. Conners. It is not necessary to have such cards. The agree-ment covers all the rights of the men if they will only study it PRESIDENT WILL VISIT ST. PAUL.

Invitation Presented This Morning by Representative Fletcher.

HOT SPRINGS, Va., May 15 .- President McKinley has practically promised to make a visit to Minneapolis and St. Paul this summer or fall in connection with a western trip. Congressman Fletcher of Minne sota arrived today and presented to Mr McKinley an invitation to visit that state Inless conditions beyond the President's control prevent he will include St. Paul and Minneapolis in his tour. Mr. Chapin Brown of Washington, D. C., acting for the national peace jubilee to be held there next week, notified Mr. McKinley of some changes in the program.

The beautiful weather and Mrs. McKin-

ey's improved health induced her to take drive this morning. The President acompanied her. The drive was a short one ASSIGNED TO REGIMENTS.

Places Given Second Lieutenants Recently Appointed. Secretary of War has assigned th

following named second lieutenants, recently appointed, to regiments as indicated: First Cavalry-Edwin A. Hickman and James D. Tilford. Second Cavalry-Guy Cushman.

Third Cavalry-Godwin Ordway. Fourth Cavalry-Ben H. Dorcy, Clark D Dudley and Samuel A. Purviance Fifth Cavalry-Hamilton Foley,

Eighth Cavalry-Guy S. Norvell Tenth Cavalry-Warren W. Whiteside. First Infantry-William L. Reed, James D. Reams, Walter G. Penfield, Grosvenor L.

Townsend, Joseph W. Beacham, jr. and Russell P. Reeder. Second Infantry-Robert Haves Wescott Third Infantry—Oliver H. Dockery, jr., Walter E. Stewart, jr. and Paul Hurst. Fourth Infantry-Louis J. Van Schaick

Fourth Infantry—Louis J. Van Schalok and Allen Smith, jr.
Fifth Infantry—Joseph K. Partello, Geo. R. Armstrong and Howard C. Price.
Sixth Infantry—Henry A. Hanigan and George S. Richards, jr.
Seventh Infantry—Wallace M. Craigie and Fred. W. Hershler.
Eighth Infantry—John F. James, Clarence B. Smith and Nathaniel R. Chambliss.
Night Infantry—William H. Waldron.

Ninth Infantry-William H. Waldron Reuben Smith, Frank R. Lang, George W. Wallace and Charles S. Foster.

Wallace and Charles S. Foster.
Tenth Infantry—Joel R. Lee.
Eleventh Infantry—John McClintock, Olin
R. Booth, James W. Furlow, Edgar A.
Myer, Frederick R. de Funlak, jr., and El-Twelfth Infantry—George S. Tiffany and Francis J. McConnell.
Thirteenth Infantry—Alden C. Knowles,
Milton A. Elliott, jr., and Harry A. Wood-

ruff.

Fourteenth Infantry—Robert F. McMillan, Israel, Putnem and Howard S. Avery.
Fifteenth Infantry—Earnest M. Reeve,
Hjalmer Erickson, Dan T. Moore, Graham
L. Johnson and Kurtz Eppley.
Sixteenth Infantry—Charles L. McKain,
Jack Hayes, Richard P. Rifenberick, jr.,
and Charles B. Stone, jr.
Seventeenth Infantry—Andrew J. Dougherty, William S. Bradford, Horace P.
Hobbs, Riffinelander Waldo and John R.
Thomas, ir.

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Eighteenft Infantry—Oliver S. Eskridge.
Nineteenft Infantry—George E. Stewart,
George D. Freeman, ir., William E. Hunt,
Leon L. Roach and Neil Campbell.

Twentieth Infantry—Ralph McCoy, Arthur M. Shipp and James K. Parsons.

Twenty-first Infantry—Walter B. McCasdepartment; Capt. G. K. Hunter, 3d Cav-alry, and Capt. W. K. Wright, 7th Infantry, have been appointed a board to meet at Jefferson barracks, Mo., to give a thorough tey, Ernest E. Haskell, Chase Doster test of Daly's school system of packing and to report fully upon the relative advantages to the government service of Daly's aparejo, the aparejo as now used, and Moore's pack Thomas L. Brewer and George E. Ball. Twenty-third Infantry-Edward W. Rob Twenty-fourth Infantry-Joseph Herring

The assignment to companies will be made by regimental commanders. MAY GRANT PERMISSION

Atorney's Opinion Concerning Sales of Pawabrokers' Stocks. Marcus Notes, a local auctioneer, a few

Twenty-fifth Infantry-Allen Parker.

days ago requested permission from the District Commissioners to sell at public auction stocks advertised by pawnbrokers in the regular course of their business. The application was referred by the Commissioners to their attorney for an opinion as to their power in the matter. The attorney has advised them that pawnbrokers have a has advised them that pawnbrokers have a right to sell at public auction any piedge or pawn that shall have remained for one FINANCE AND TRADE year in their possession, the sale to be conducted by a licensed auctioneer, to be designated and approved by the Commissioners

United States Coast Survey Vessel Anchors

in City Harbor.

May Come to Washington to Remain

During Peace Jubilee-Military

Enrollment.

Evening Star Bureau, No. 727 King Street, Bell Telephone No. 106,

ALEXANDRIA, Va., May 15, 1899.

The United States coast survey vessel

rrived here last night and is now anchored

n the harbor. Captain Ross came ashore

this morning and proceeded to Washington.

He stated that the Pathfinder had steamed

from Sandy Hook to Quantico in thirty-five

hours and forty-five minutes. This was a

rate of speed considered highly satisfactory

for the vessel's maiden trip. The captain

Military Enrollment.

had been enrolled for enlistment in the

will call a meeting of the signers and for-

One of the first duties devolving upon the

will be to raise funds for the improvemen

ther repairs are necessary. It is probable

Mystery Concerning a Burial.

hurch yesterday morning Rev. Father W.

grave had been discovered, he stated, in a

lot owned by a party named Lynch. No burial permit had been issued, and nothing

definite concerning the interment had been

The announcement caused some stir and rumors of foul play. It is understood that the police will be asked to investigate.

TAKEN TO NEW YORK.

seorge Yarrington to Be Tried on

Charge of Swindling.

George E. Yarrington, an elderly man,

who is charged with swindling in New

York, was taken from Washington to that

Yarrington was arrested last evening by

the city force and Detective McConville of

It is alleged that in New York Yarrington

and, with these two properties, is owned by Mr. Caleb C. Willard. It is Mr. Willard's

Trial Postponed Until Tomorrow.

Army Orders.

York city. Capt. S. M. Foote, 6th Artillery, now in

the volunteer service, has been ordered to duty in the department of California.

Capt. James M. Kennedy, assistant sur-geon, now at Augusta, Ga., has been or-dered to San France co for duty with the

Smallpox Situation.

Two patients were discharged from the

District smallpox hospital today, although

the total number of persons under treat-

ment there remains as it was Saturday, two

persons suffering from the disease having

been sent there since then. William John-

son and Walker Edwards, both colored, were

city, for assignment to duty.

connection with them.

ward the list to Richmond.

ascertained.

city today.

Up to this morning about forty names

Pathfinder, commanded by Captain Ross,

for that purpose. Any pawnbroker, explains the attorney, who takes stocks in pledge or pawn may sell them subject to the provisions of the act of March 2, 1889, Strong Support to Stock Market Toto regulate and license pawnbrokers, pro-vided he sells at public auction and em-ploys a licensed auctioneer to conduct the sale. day Arrested Declines.

THE INDUSTRIALS STRONGLY BACKED AFFAIRS IN ALEXANDRIA

All the Flower Stocks Make Substantial Advances.

GENERAL MARKET REPORTS

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

NEW YORK, May 15 .- Under the influence of substantial gains in the London market the opening level was considerably higher than Saturday's final prices. Round amounts of stocks were taken, and the support from individuals and corporations was not required to the extent at one time anticipated. Organization was evident, but not necessary. The fact that the strongest institutions in the street had agreed to check any ill-advised downward tendency was sufficient to prevent the depression. Some liquidation of speculative holdings

was in progress during the day, stocks

bought at the low level on Saturday being

stated that, while he knew nothing posisold out quietly during the morning. The tive, his vessel would probably proceed toso-called Flower stocks were given excel-Washington and remain there to take part lent support and sold above their best levin naval exercises during the peace jubilee. els of Saturday in spite of liberal and a times very mixed trading.

The industrial shares were well guarded and in a few instances advances of fair proportions were well sustained. All the stocks in this group in which the weakness

Alexandria Light Infantry. As soon as the requisite number is received Capt. King had been merely sympathetic were moved back to former prices.

American sugar gained 5 per cent under this new demand, both accounts figuring in

the movement. ompany after it is put on an active footing The Tobacco shares were given better support also, but the trading in them was not always on a very significant scale.

In the railroad list much of the panic of the armory on South Royal street. An entire new flooring is badly needed and symptoms had disappeared, and there was some very good buying of the granger issues and a few of the low-priced preferred that an excursion will be given to raise the

The day's operations were in the main During services in St. Mary's Catholic exactly what was to have been expected from the rational handling of a forced Gaston Payne announced that an interment change in conditions had been made in St. Mary's cemetery which The ability to stay the decline is as encould not be accounted for. A newly made

couraging under such circumstances as the advances of the past few months have been in the face of a cloudless sky. The market has reduced the risks of a large and irresponsible following and has in some measure returned to a basis at which value is reflected. The future course of prices is reflected. The future course of prices is more likely to depend on actual conditions than upon manipulation. Support will be given in case of need, but for the present there is little prospect of an arbitrary ad-

Later on, should general conditions warrant it, underwriting syndicates may make a market for their holdings. This event may be the final one of the year's advance. may be the final one of the year's advance. The Traction stocks were all strong at the close of business, under the influence of rumors relative to an amending of the franchise bill. With the exception of this group the list was dull and without special Sergeant Carter and Detective Herndon of

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. New York Stock Market.

which they disposed of at auction, leaving	A.S. Wire	6134	62%	61%	011
their creditors unpaid, and that they also	Am. Steel and Wire pfd	97	97	0.5	613
repeated these operations in a number of	American Sugar	100000000000000000000000000000000000000		95	96%
cities When appeared to a mulifort of	American Sugar	150%	15434	150%	151
cities. When arrested, however, Yarring-	American Tobacco	993	1003	9936	9914
ton was without a dollar.	Atchtson	1836	1836	18	181
	Atchison, pfd	533	55%	581	
Norwanana	Atchison Adjustments .	813	813	81	58%
EPWORTH LEAGUE.	Baltimore & Onto, w. 1.				8134
	One & West only W. L.	55	54	53	531
Tenth Anniverses Calabase to a	Ont. & Western	24%	24%	2434	24%
Tenth Anniversary Celebrated at Me-	Brooklyn Rapid Transit.	108	11111	107	109%
Kendree M. E. Church.	Canada Southern	58 K	533	53%	53%
	Central Pacine	481	491	481	
The tenth anniversary of the Epworth	Chesapeage & Ohio	25%	253	25	48%
League was celebrated last evening by the	C., C. C. & St. Louis	54			25
chanter of M. T	Chicago, B. & Q.		54	54	54
chapter of McKendree Church. The pres-	Chicago, D. a Q	150%	1305	129%	180
ident, S. S. Culbertson, presided.	Chicagoa Northwestern	152%	152%	1523	1521
i and treon, presided.	Chicago Gas	115	115	115	114
After prayer by Rev. Dr. Naylor, the	L. M. & St. Paul.	1223	1235	1221/	1223
first vice president of the League of Mc-	Chicago, R. I. & Pacific.	:10%	11032	1093/	
The rice president of the heague of Me-	Chic St. P., M. & O		110/2	100%	110
Kendree Church, Mr. C. S. Mackenzie, gave	Chig. & G. Western			****	****
a Serinture reading Core T. 11 .1	Consolidated Gas	14	141	13%	137
a Scripture reading. George Todd, the sec-	Del Laute Vas	183%	18434	1833	18436
retary, gave a historical account of the	Del., Lack & W	166	166	165	165
Epworth League, referring particularly to	Delaware & hugson	117%	11734	116%	1163
the formation of the shorter in M. If	Den. & Ido Grande, pfd	7634	17	16%	
the formation of the chapter in McKendree	Erie			10%	160
Church, President Culbertson spoke in re-	Federal Steel	**	**	*****	*****
gard to the department work at McKendree	Federal Steel, prd	57	55	35%	56
Church. Addresses were also made by Mr.	General Plant	78%	75%	1136	784
D V Dolt the flat and made by Mr.	General Electric	116	116	1153	116
R. V. Belt, the first president of the chap-	Illinois Central	113%	114%	1185	114
ter, and Mrs. J. W. Wisler.	Louisville & Nashville	64%	65	641	
A consecration service was conducted by	Metropolitan Traction	220	226%		64%
the pastor,	Manhattan Elevated	1003	10936	21116	226
	Missouri Pacine	43 %		1073	1083
At the morning service in McKendree	M. K. & T., pfd.		43%	43	48
Church the pastor, Dr. Naylor, delivered a	National Lead Co	341/4	34%	3814	88%
sermon on "The First Decade of the Ep-	New Jorgen Contract	82	32	8114	8114
worth League."	New Jersey Central	111	311	110	110
worth Beagac.	New York Central	181%	132	1814	132
	Northern Pacine	4914	50	49	49%
Valuable Realty Purchased.	Northern Pacific ntd	77	77	79%	40.76
	Pacine Man.	49%	50		76%
Davidson & Davidson, real estate brokers,	Pennsylvania R. R			49%	50
	Phila. & Reading	1273	128	127	12736
have purchased from Mr. L. Spanier the	Southorn Imain	19%	191	19%	19%
property known as 1413 G street northwest.	Southern Pacific	28%	30	28%	293
	Southern Rallway	1136	111%	1136	113
This is a large three-story brick building	Southern Ry., plu	51	51	50%	
on the north side of G street between 14th	18Xas Pacific	19%	20	191/	50%
	Tenn. Coal & Iron.	56%	57	1934	19%
and 15th streets, having a frontage of 28	Union Pacific			54	5534
feet 4 inches and a depth of 85 feet. The	Umon Paoific, pfd	42	423	4134	42%
lot contains 3,284 square feet, and the price	I S Leather of	75%	77.5	14%	105
	U. S. Leather, pfd	69%	6994	69	694
is said to have been in about \$45,000. It is the	U S. Rubber	49 %	4914	45%	4134
intention of the purchasers to remodel the	U. S. Kubber, pfd	115%	115%	115	115
building into an office for their own use, as	waoasa, bid	21	213	21	
they have received notice to leave the of-	Western Union Ter	91%	92		21
floo now occupied by them 1995 C	Reading lats			91%	9134
fice now occupied by them, 1338 F street	Reading 2ds	54%	5434	53	58%
northwest. This latter building is between		8136	B134	30%	31
the Ebbitt House and the Hooe building,		-			
and, with these two properties is owned by	Washington St	oek	Erch		

Washington Stock Exchange.

purpose to erect upon this site a structure of a height that will correspond with the adjoining buildings, and it will be used in By reason of the absence from the city of Justice Bradley, the trial of John A. Grow and Algernon Granville, set for today, in Criminal Court No. 2, was continued until tomorrow. The defendants are under in-

Washington Stock Exchange.

Sales—regular call, 12 o'clock m.—U. S. 3s. coupon, \$300 at 108%, \$200 at 108%. U. S. 3s. registered, \$1,000 at 108%. Washington Gas B bonds, \$600 at 108%. Capital Traction, 20 at 92, 20 at 92½, 20 at 93%, 20 at 93, 20 at 93%, 20 at 94. Metropolitan Railroad receipts, 10 at 227%, Washington Gas, 5 at 57%, 25 at 57%, 25 at 57%, 100 at 57, 25 at 57%, 25 at 57%, 100 at 201%, 10 at 2 dictment for violation of section 5480, Revised Statutes of the United States, as amended by act of Congress approved March 2, 1889. The specific offense was alleged swindling through fraudulent use of the mails, by ordering goods in the name of a local druggist and disposing of the same Lieut. J. C. Castner, 4th Infantry, now on duty in this city, has been ordered to report to Maj. P. H. Ray, 8th Infantry, commanding the north district of Alaska, now in this Acting Assistant Surgeon H. A. Barnhardt, now in this city, has been assigned to duty at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pa. Capt. John Little, commissary of subsistence, has been assigned to duty in New

bid. 125 asked.
Safe Deposit and Trust Companies.—National Safe Deposit and Trust, 144 bid, 145 asked. Washington Loan and Trust, 150 bid, 153 asked. American Security and Trust, 185 bid, 197 asked. Washington Safe Deposit, 60 bid.

curity and Trust, 185 bid, 197 asked. Washington Safe Deposit, 60 bid.

Insurance Stocks.—Firemen's, 34 bid. Franklin, 46 bid. Metropolitan, 86 bid. Corcoran, 60 bid. Potomac, 72 bid. Arlington, 140 bid, 196 asked. German-American, 210 bid. National Union, 12% bid, 3 asked. Columbia, 145 bid, 15 asked. Riggs, 8½ bid. People's, 6% bid. 6% asked. Lincoln, 12 bid, 13 asked. Columbia, 145 bid, 5 asked. Riggs, 8½ bid, 10 asked. Columbia Title, 5% bid, 6 asked. Title Insurance Stocks.—Real Estate Title, 93 bid, 110 asked. Columbia Trust receipts, 227½ bid, 110 asked. Columbia trust receipts, 227½ bid, 25½ asked. Rallroad Stocks.—Capital Traction Co., 94 bid, 25½ asked. Columbia trust receipts, 147 bid. City and Suburban, 40 bid, 45 asked. Georgetown and Tenleytown, 18 bid, 45 asked. Georgetown and Tenleytown, 18 bid. Stocks.—Washington Gas, 57½ bid, 57½ asked. U. S. Electric Light, 140 bid. Telephone Stocks.—Chesapeake and Potomac, 78 bid, 79 asked. Pennsylvania, 40 bid.

Miscellaneous Stocks.—Mergenthaler Linotype, 20% bid, 21 asked. American Graphophone preferred, x13% bid, 13% asked. American Graphophone preferred, x13% bid, 14% asked. American Graphophone preferred, x13% bid, 14% asked. American Graphophone, 13% bid, 13% asked. Pneumatic Gun Carriage, 42 bid, 45 asked. Great Falls Ice, 146 bid, 160 asked. Norfolk and Washington Steamboat, 105 bid. Lincoln xEx dividend. 4th Cavalry. Lieut. Col. G. C. Smith, quartermaster's

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Baltimore May 15.—Flour quiet: western super, \$2.15a\$2.90; western extra, \$2.40a\$2.90; western family, \$3.25a\$3.50; winter wheat patent, \$3.5a\$3.80; spring wheat, patent, \$3.75a\$4.00; spring wheat, patent, \$3.75a\$4.00; spring wheat, straight, \$8.50a\$3.70; receipts, 25.396 barrels; exports, 7.736 barrels; sales, none. Wheat steady; spot, 72%a78; the month, 72%a72%; June, 73¼a78½; July, 73¼a78½; steamer No. 2 red, 67%a67½; receipts, 43.611 bushels; exports, none; stock, 450,350 bushels; ales, 24,000 bushels; southern by sample, 68a78¼; do. on grade, 68a78. Corn easy: spot, 37%a57½; the month, 37%a57½; June, 87%a57½; spot, 37%a57½; the month, 37%a57½; June, 87%a573; the month, 37%a57½; June, 87%a673; July, 87%a58; steamer mixed, 85%a68; receipts, 116,414 bushels; exports, none; stock, 777, the patients discharged today, their places being taken by John Logan and Matthew being taken by John Logan and Matthew Shanklin, both of whom are also colored. Logan was discovered at 330 Liberty street southwest Saturday evening, and Shanklin was found at 825 2d street southwest last evening. It is said the latter has been sick for about three weeks, although the nature of his illness was not made known until last evening. Both the afflicted persons were promptly removed to the hospital.

928 bushels: sales, 9,000 bushels; southern white coro, 41s42; do vellow, 38 asked. Outs stendy; No. 2 white, 334sa34; No. 2 mixed, 31sa145; receipts, 56,179 bushels, exports, none; stock, 356,185 bushels. Rye dull; No. 2 western, 6356; receipts, none; stock, 120,190 bushels. Hay firm; No. 1 throuby, \$12,500 Grain freights firm; steam to Liverpool, per bushel, 25d. May; Cork for orders, per quarter, 3s. 3d. May; 3s. 15d., Jane, Sugar strong, the and course granulated, 5,4545. Butter steady; lancy creamery, 19; fancy invitation, 15a16; fancy ladle, 13a14; good ladle, 11a12; store-packed, 11a1145; rolls, 12a14. Eggs steady, 124c, per dozen, these steady; 60 large, 104s; 37 medium, 105; 23 small 11. Lettince, 40c, per bushel box; steady Whisky, \$1,3cn81,31 per gallon for indished goods in carloads, \$1,31a81,32 per gallon for jobbing lots.

Government Bonds.

2 per cents, registered 3 per cents, registered, 1908-1928, 3 per cents, coupon, 1908-1928, 4 per cents, registered, 1907, 4 per cents, coupon, 1907, 5 per cents, coupon, 1925, 5 per cents, registered, 1925, 5 per cents, coupon, 1925, 5 per cents, coupon, 1924, Grain, Provisions and Cotton Markets.

Furnished by W. R. Hibbs & Co., bankers and brokers, 1419 F st., members New York stock exchange, correspondents Messrs. Ladenburg, Thaimann & Co., New York. CHICAGO, May 15. -Grain:

Wheat July Open.

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Corts July 344 CHICAGO, May 15. Proviste NEW YORK, May 15. Cotte AFFAIRS IN GEORGETOWN

Accident to Riders of Bicycles, Resulting in

Painful Injuries. Funeral Services Over Remains o

Late Isanc T. Branzell-Gen-

eral and Personal

Frank Grossett, white, aged nineteen, who resides at 642 20th street northeast, went out on the Conduit road yesterday afternoon for a bicycle ride. About 5 o'clock in the afternoon he returned and reached the steep hill running alongside the Dalecarlia reservoir. He lost control of the bicycle and it struck the railing of the wooden

bridge at the foot of the hill, throwing him

some distance. He was picked up uncon-

sclous and was attended by Dr. Comisky

and later brought to Georgetown, being

taken to the Georgetown University Hospital, where he was further treated. Later in the evening he proceeded to his home.

Shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon Anderson S. Foot, colored, residing at 1293 New York avenue, rode through Georgetown on his bicycle. At the corner of Jefferson avenue and M street his wheel caught in the car track and he was thrown to the ground, being for a time uncon-scious. Beyond a number of small bruises

he suffered no injury. John J. Fister of 20th and P streets is slowly recovering from the effects of a bicycle accident which occurred Friday morning at 20th and P streets. He was following a Metropolitan car going east when the train stopped, and in making a sharp turn to the left the pedal of the wheel be-came hooked in the car, or struck the ground, throwing the rider against a westbound car which was passing at the time.

A large gash in the forchead and the breaking of a small bone of the face were the worst injuries. Dr. Stuart attended

him. Funeral of Isaac T. Branzell. The funeral of Isaac T. Branzell was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock, the services being conducted by one of the priests of Trinity Church. Mr. Branzel died Saturday morning, a few minutes before 10 o'clock from the effects of injuries received the previous evening. He was employed as a driver by the Consumers' Brewing pany of Rosslyn, Va., and while returning from work about 9 o'clock Friday evening, fell from his wagon. He was picked up and carried to his home at 3711 M street, where he died in the morning without re-galning consciousness. The coroner was

otified and gave a verdict of accidental Mr. Branzell was about fifty-six years of age, and was married, leaving a widow and family. He enjoyed a large acquaintance in the West End, and was at one time toll

taker on the old wooden Aqueduct bridge Narrowly Escapes Death.

Mrs. Josephine Braitmayer of 2725 N street narrowly escaped death by burning at her residence about 6:30 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Braitmayer, who is about ferty-five years of age, was engaged in get-ting breakfast, and while at work her dress accidentally caught fire. The flames spread quickly and in a short time she was enveloped in flames, and her screams brought her son Joseph and Mr. Garnet Brown, who lives next door, to her rescue. The unfor-tunate woman was burned severely about the body. Dr. C. H. A. Kleinschmidt was called and succeeded in affording partial re-lief of the suffering victim.

Attacked Unknown Man.

Fred W. Albers, aged nineteen, a resident of Tenleytown, was taken to the Georgetown University Hospital yesterday evening for treatment, Dr. Gwynne making fourteen stitches to sew up the wounds on his face and neck. From the story of Albers, he was attacked by an unknown olored man about 6:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon, while near Gien Echo junction, Montgomery county, Md. The colored man used a razor or sharp knife. He managed to escape in the excitement.

REPAIRING THE LINING. Col. Miller Reports Progress on the

. Aquedact Tunnel. In his last monthly report to the chief of ngineers Col. Miller, the officer in charge of the Washington aqueduct, shows that good progress is being made in the repair of the aqueduct tunnel from the distributing reservoir to the reservoir near Howard University. Present operations are mainly devoted to repairing the old lining of the tunnel, putting in new lining and placing an iron lining in the tunnel under Rock creek. The amount of work already accom-

by the following statement: Tunnel trimmed, 5,917 feet; track laid, 20,599 feet; material removed, mostly stone and muck, 22,754 cubic yards; timber re-moved from back of old arch, 16 cords; old lining repaired, 77 feet; new brick lining placed, 417 feet invert, 540 side wall and 256 feet arch; concrete placed, 252 cubic

plished under the existing project is shown

yards.

In addition to the above work, 192 cubic yards of rubble masonry have been put in place in the old arch and 347 cubic yards

in the new arch. During the past month 147 feet of the tunnel under Bock creek were trimmed for iron work. Col. Miller says that the condition of the water says that the common of the water served to the people of Washington during the month of April was as follows: Very turbid, five days, turbid, seven days; slightly turbid, five days, and clear, thirteen days. During the month ditches and drains along the Conduit road were cleaned, they are represented and the three road culverts were repaiged and the Conduit road and the dirt road from the club house to Great Falls were repaired. About 1,500 feet of new fence were built

and the old fences were repaired wherever

Roosevelt has decided to call an extra ses-

sion of the state legislature to revise the

Extra Session in New York. ALBANY, N. Y., May 15 .- Governor

law passed at the late session for taxing corporation franchises. The special session will convene on May 22. No Performance Tonight. The management of "My Cousin," in

which Mme. Pilar Morin is to be featured at the New National Theater, decided this afternoon that another dress rehearsal would be needed before the piece could be presented to the public. Consequently, there will be no performance at the Na-tional tonight.